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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PARM ENRG AR PE IAEA US  
SUBJ: U.S. FUEL FOR ARGENTINA REACTOR LOAN TO PERU

REF: STATE 52896

1. GENERAL BARREDA TOLD ECON OFF A.M. MAR 2 THAT IPEN  
ACCEPTED IN PRINCIPLE TEXTS OF NOTE EXCHANGE CONTAINED  
IN STATE 37044, AS AMENDED BY STATE 38451. HE ALSO STATED  
THAT HE HAS NO OBJECTION TO VIENNA AS SITE OF NOTE EXCHANGE.  
HOWEVER, HE REQUESTED THAT WE OBTAIN FORMAL CONFIRMATION  
ON BOTH MATTERS FROM FOREIGN MINISTRY.

2. ECON OFF SUBSEQUENTLY SPOKE WITH MAX DE LA FUENTE,  
FOREIGN MINISTRY'S NUCLEAR AFFAIRS OFFICER, WHO ALSO  
ADVISED THAT GOP ACCEPTS DRAFT TEXTS IN PRINCIPLE. DE LA  
FUENTE WENT ON TO SAY, HOWEVER, THAT HE IS INSTRUCTING AMB.  
GARCIA BEDOYA IN WASHINGTON VIA DIPLOMATIC POUCH (BEING  
SENT MAR. 2) TO ATTEMPT TO INCORPORATE INTO DRAFT NOTES  
LANGUAGE THAT WOULD MAKE CLEAR THAT CERTAIN REVIEW RIGHTS  
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ACCORDED TO THE US IN THE NOTES APPLY ONLY TO THE  
MATERIALS AND INSTALLATIONS THAT ARE THE SUBJECT OF  
THE PROJECT AND SUPPLY AGREEMENTS. WHEN ASKED FOR  
SPECIFIC LANGUAGE CHANGES THAT DE LA FUENTE PLANNED TO  
SEND TO GARCIA BEDOYA, HE SAID THAT IN PARAGRAPH 1,  
SUBPARAGRAPH (II) OF THE US NOTE, WHICH BEGINS "1. THE  
UNITED STATES SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO REVIEW", HE

SUGGESTS REPLACING THE PHRASE QUOTE THE AGREEMENT UNQUOTE WITH THE PHRASE QUOTE THE SUPPLY AGREEMENT OR TO THIS AGREEMENT UNQUOTE. THUS LAST THREE LINES OF REFERENCED PARAGRAPH WOULD READ QUOTE ANY MATERIAL TRANSFERRED PURSUANT TO THE SUPPLY AGREEMENT OR TO THIS AGREEMENT OR ANY SPECIAL NUCLEAR MATERIAL USED IN OR PRODUCED THROUGH THE USE OF SUCH MATERIAL. UNQUOTE. DE LA FUENTE ALSO SAID THAT HE WOULD LIKE A SIMILAR CHANGE TO BE MADE IN PARAGRAPH 3 OF US NOTE, BUT HE DID NOT PROVIDE SPECIFIC LANGUAGE. COMMENT: DE LA FUENTE INDICATED THAT INSTRUCTIONS TO GARCIA BEDOYA GIVE THE LATTER SAME LATITUDE IN ATTEMPTING TO HAVE CHANGES INCORPORATED IN DRAFT TEXTS. WE BELIEVE GARCIA BEDOYA HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED TO TRY TO MODIFY LANGUAGE, BUT NOT TO PRESS HARD IF USG IS RELUCTANT TO ACCEPT CHANGE. END COMMENT.

3. RE SITE FOR NOTE EXCHANGE, DE LA FUENTE SAID THAT GOP HAS NO OBJECTION TO VIENNA, BUT IN VIEW OF GARCIA BEDOYA'S ROLE IN NEGOTIATING NOTE TEXTS, FOREIGN MINISTRY WISHES TO GIVE GARCIA BEDOYA OPPORTUNITY TO SIGN PERUVIAN NOTE, I.E. HAVE EXCHANGE TAKE PLACE IN WASHINGTON, IF HE WISHES. QUERY TO THIS EFFECT BEING SENT VIA PERUVIAN DIPLOMATIC POUCH MAR. 2 TO WASHINGTON. ECON OFF AGREED WITH DE LA FUENTE THAT WE WOULD SUGGEST TO DEPARTMENT THAT IT ASCERTAIN GARCIA BEDOYA'S DESIRE ON THIS QUESTION. IF GARCIA BEDOYA DOES  
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NOT INSIST ON WASHINGTON AS NOTE EXCHANGE SITE, THEN FOREIGN MINISTRY WILL GO ALONG WITH SUGGESTION THAT EXCHANGE TAKE PLACE IN VIENNA.

4. ACTION REQUESTED: WE WOULD APPRECIATE IT IF DEPARTMENT WOULD CONTACT AMB. GARCIA BEDOYA TO ASCERTAIN HIS PREFERENCE OF SITE OF NOTE EXCHANGE AND INFORM US AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.  
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